

MICHAEL F. EASLEY

NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION WEEK

2007

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, throughout history, transportation has played a vital role in the development of our state and nation; and

WHEREAS, transportation is a major industry in our state and nation and provides a vital and essential service for commerce and connects products with markets, workers with jobs and families with each other; and

WHEREAS, North Carolina's comprehensive transportation system, which includes highways, railroads, public transportation, ferries, aviation, bicycle and pedestrian safety programs, carries out its mission of improving mobility across our state; and

WHEREAS, North Carolina has the second largest state-maintained highway system in the nation incorporating more than 78,500 miles of highways and the largest ferry system on the East Coast; and

WHEREAS, North Carolinians have the opportunity to celebrate transportation achievements our state has made and the contributions of transportation to our society;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MICHAEL F. EASLEY, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim May 13-19, 2007, as "NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION WEEK" in North Carolina and commend this observance to our citizens.



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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of North Carolina at the Capitol in Raleigh this twenty-fourth day of April in the year of our Lord two thousand and seven of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and thirty-first.